

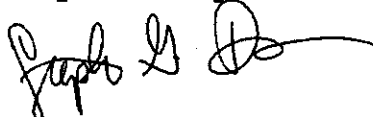
Channel 292 and channel 262, Mercedes, Texas and San Benito, Texas

Census designated areas whose centroid lies within each service area.

### Conclusion

Channel 292A can be reallocated from Mercedes, Texas to channel 292C3 at San Benito, Texas, in compliance with all applicable Commission rules. The community of San Benito, Texas would be provided with a first local aural transmission service, and the community of Mercedes, Texas will continue to have local aural service. Channel 262C0 can likewise be reallocated from Brownsville, Texas to Mercedes, Texas in compliance with all applicable Commission rules. No service will be lost in any underserved area<sup>8</sup> and no new underserved areas will be created as a result of this proposal. Therefore, Petitioner requests the reallocation of channel 292A from Mercedes, Texas to 292C3 at San Benito, Texas; and the reallocation of channel 262C0 at Brownsville, Texas to 262C0 at Mercedes, Texas be granted.

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<sup>8</sup> Defined as an area receiving service from less than five aural broadcast services. In the case of this proposal, the 60 dBu loss areas will continue to receive 60 dBu service from multiple sources, local and distant. SEE Figures 3 and 4.

## Channel 292 and channel 262, Mercedes, Texas and San Benito, Texas

Figure 1 - Allocations Spacing Studies

## A. KHKZ 292 C3 San Benito, TX

REFERENCE  
26 03 13 N  
97 43 19 W

CLASS = C3  
Current Spacings

DISPLAY DATES  
DATA 12-07-04  
SEARCH 12-08-04

----- Channel 292 - 106.3 MHz -----

Call	Channel	Location	Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin
KHKZ	LIC	292A Mercedes	TX 14.85	310.9	142.0	-127.15 <sup>9</sup>
XHNAFM	OPE	290AA Matamoros	TA 31.63	136.8	48.0	-16.37 <sup>10</sup>
KPSOFM	LIC	292A Falfurrias	TX 138.51	341.3	142.0	-3.49 <sup>11</sup>
KBIC	LIC	289A Raymondville	TX 43.25	2.6	42.0	1.25
ALLO	USE	289A Raymondville	TX 48.43	355.5	42.0	6.43
ALLO		294A Reynosa	TA 55.86	275.1	48.0	7.86
RADD	ADD	292A Zapata	TX 174.30	300.1	142.0	32.30
ALLO		293A Los Comales	TA 121.21	276.1	88.0	33.21
RADD	ADD	292A Zapata	TX 175.97	300.5	142.0	33.97
ALLO		290A Los Villarreales	TA 94.01	282.4	48.0	46.01
ALLO		291C Monterrey	NL 262.55	261.2	193.0	69.55
XHMNR	OPE	291C Monterrey	NL 262.55	261.2	193.0	69.55

## B. KTEX 262 C0 Mercedes, TX

REFERENCE  
26 06 02 N  
97 50 21 W

CLASS = C0  
Current Spacings

DISPLAY DATES  
DATA 12-07-04  
SEARCH 12-08-04

----- Channel 262 - 100.3 MHz -----

Call	Channel	Location	Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin
KTEX	LIC	262C0 Brownsville	TX 0.00	0.0	270.0	-270.00
ALLO		262B1 Sabinas Hidalgo	NL 235.68	280.1	259.0 <sup>12</sup>	-23.3 <sup>13</sup>
ALLO		209A Valle Hermoso	TA 31.54	175.9	28.0	3.54
ALLO		261A Ciudad Guerrero	TA 167.45	297.1	161.0	6.45
ALLO	USE	263C2 Mirando City	TX 194.13	316.4	176.0	18.13
KBDR	LIC	263C2 Mirando City	TX 196.18	315.6	176.0	20.18
ALLO		265A Ciudad Aleman	TA 118.33	287.1	94.0	24.33
ALLO		263C Soto La Marina	TA 261.17	188.1	228.0	33.17
ALLO		260A Los Aldamas	NL 136.56	268.6	94.0	42.56
XHSAFF	OPE	265B San Fernando	TA 142.67	193.0	98.0	44.67
ALLO		265B San Fernando	TA 142.67	193.0	98.0	44.67
ALLO	USE	264C3 Premont	TX 141.01	351.7	87.0	54.01
ALLO		261B Villa Hidalgo	CI 275.25	313.3	215.0	60.25
ALLO		261A Montemorelos	NL 223.33	243.5	161.0	62.33
XHMNSF	OPE	261A Montemorelos	NL 223.33	243.5	161.0	62.33
ALLO		263C Ciudad Victoria	TA 292.80	206.6	228.0	64.80
KMFM	LIC	264C3 Premont	TX 153.80	352.0	87.0	66.80

<sup>9</sup> Current facility, for which this instant proposal is a mutually exclusive substitute.

<sup>10</sup> There will be no overlap of the channel 292C3 proposed interfering (100 dBu F(50,50)) contour with the XHNA-FM protected (60 dBu F(50,50)) contour; nor will the XHNA-FM interfering (97 dBu F(50,10)) contour overlap with the proposed 292C3 protected (57 dBu, F(50,50)) contour. See Figure 7 for the contour study. The proposed channel 292C3 ERP along the azimuth of 137 degrees (the azimuth to the XHNA-FM site) is maximum 8.0 kW at a HAAT of 103 meters.

<sup>11</sup> To channel 287A via an order to show cause, see Figure 1C for pertinent spacing study.

<sup>12</sup> Current licensed facility. No change in location or channel proposed here.

<sup>13</sup> Restricted allotment accepted by US July 1994. As this proposal is for no physical change in facilities, no additional showing is necessary.

## Channel 292 and channel 262, Mercedes, Texas and San Benito, Texas

Figure 1, Allocations Spacing Studies, Continued.

C.

KPSO Falfurrias, TX on 287A

REFERENCE			CLASS = A		DISPLAY DATES		
27 14 11 N			Current		DATA 12-07-04		
98 10 22 W			Spacings		SEARCH 12-08-04		
----- Channel 287 - 105.3 MHz -----							
Call	Channel	Location	Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin	
RADD	ADD 287A	Premont	TX 0.15	294.2	115.0	-114.85 <sup>14</sup>	
ALLO	USE 287C	Seguin	TX 226.06	357.8	226.0	0.06	
KSMG	LIC 287C	Seguin	TX 226.06	357.8	226.0	0.06	
KSMG.A	APP 287C	Seguin	TX 226.06	357.8	226.0	0.06	
KUKA	LIC-N 290C3	San Diego	TX 46.00	5.4	42.0	4.00	
ALLO	USE 290C3	San Diego	TX 48.33	347.4	42.0	6.33	
AL288	VAC 288A	Freer	TX 79.33	325.2	72.0	7.33	
KMIQ	LIC-N 285C2	Robstown	TX 64.86	22.5	55.0	9.86	
ALLO	USE 285C2	Robstown	TX 80.84	16.5	55.0	25.84	
KMJR.A	APP 288A	Portland	TX 98.59	50.6	72.0	26.59	
KMJR	LIC 288A	Portland	TX 98.59	50.6	72.0	26.59	
ALLO	USE 288A	Portland	TX 98.59	50.6	72.0	26.59	
KMJR.A	APP 288A	Portland	TX 98.59	50.6	72.0	26.59	
KMJR.A	APP 288A	Portland	TX 98.59	50.6	72.0	26.59	
ALLO	287A	Nuevo Laredo	TA 134.43	282.8	100.0	34.43	
KQXXFM	LIC 288A	Mission	TX 112.65	188.4	72.0	40.65	
ALLO	USE 288A	Mission	TX 112.65	188.4	72.0	40.65	
ALLO	286A	Los Villarreales	TA 120.72	202.7	61.0	59.72	
ALLO	287A	Valle Hermoso	TA 161.31	167.3	100.0	61.31	
ALLO	USE 289A	Raymondville	TX 92.35	153.7	31.0	61.35	
XHPAGF	OPE 287C	Monterrey	NL 274.67	231.1	210.0	64.67	
ALLO	287C	Monterrey	NL 274.67	231.1	210.0	64.67	
KBIC	LIC 289A	Raymondville	TX 99.51	152.0	31.0	68.51	
ALLO	USE 234C3	Corpus Christi	TX 86.46	51.8	12.0	74.46	

D.

292A at Premont, TX

REFERENCE		CLASS = A		DISPLAY DATES		
27 14 13 N				DATA 12-07-04		
98 10 27 W		Current Spacings		SEARCH 12-08-04		
----- Channel 292 - 106.3 MHz -----						
Call	Channel	Location	Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin
KPSOFM	LIC 292A	Falfurrias	TX 0.15	114.2	114.5	-114.35 <sup>15</sup>
RADD	ADD 292A	Zapata	TX 114.88	247.2	114.5	0.38
RADD	ADD 292A	Zapata	TX 115.03	248.2	114.5	0.53
AL293	VAC 293A	Bruni	TX 72.36	292.7	71.5	0.86
KUKA	LIC-N 290C3	San Diego	TX 45.95	5.5	41.5	4.45
ALLO	USE 290C3	San Diego	TX 48.24	347.5	41.5	6.74
AL292	VAC 292A	George West	TX 122.71	356.7	114.5	8.21
ALLO	USE 295C3	Bishop	TX 52.65	28.8	41.5	11.15
KFLZ	LIC 295C3	Bishop	TX 52.65	28.8	41.5	11.15
ALLO	USE 292A	Mercedes	TX 126.03	164.4	114.5	11.53
KHKZ	LIC 292A	Mercedes	TX 126.03	164.4	114.5	11.53
KTKY.C	CP 293C2	Taft	TX 117.34	53.1	105.5	11.84
ALLO	USE 293C2	Refugio	TX 117.34	53.1	105.5	11.84
KHKZ.A	APP 292A	Mercedes	TX 135.45	157.6	114.5	20.95
ALLO	USE 238C	Corpus Christi	TX 75.89	51.7	28.5	47.39
KZFM	LIC-D 238C	Corpus Christi	TX 75.89	51.7	28.5	47.39
RDEL	DEL 238C	Corpus Christi	TX 75.89	51.7	28.5	47.39
RDEL	DEL 291C3	Refugio	TX 137.68	43.2	88.5	49.18

<sup>14</sup> To channel 292A at this same location, see Figure 1D.<sup>15</sup> To channel 287A at this same location, see Figure 1C.

Figure 2

Figure 2 is a map of the KHKZ Gain and Loss Areas. The map shows the KHKZ service area, which is a large circle centered on the KHKZ station. The map includes various cities and towns, such as Mercedes, TX, San Benito, TX, and Los Angeles. The map also shows the KHKZ-Proposed 292C3 service area, which is a smaller circle centered on the KHKZ station. The map includes a scale bar and a north arrow.

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KHKZ Gain and Loss Areas

The map displays the KHKZ service area and its proposed expansion. Key data points include:

- Mercedes, TX:** 283,320 Persons, 2,460 sq. km.
- San Benito, TX:** 446,486 Persons, 4,772 sq. km.
- 60 dBu Loss Area:** 19,178 persons, 128 sq. km.
- Service Maintained:** 264,142 Persons, 2,332 sq. km.
- 60 dBu Gain Area:** 182,344 Persons, 2,440 sq. km.

The map includes a scale bar (0 to 50 km) and a north arrow.

Figure 3 - Service to 60 dBu Loss Area

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Service to 60 dBu Loss Area

60 dBu Loss Area  
19,178 persons  
128 sq. km.

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KQIR

KRLD

KIRT

KVLV

KRGE

KFBZ

KBFB

KVMH

KMKZ-ALOC

KMR

Figure 4 - Tabulation of Services to KHKZ channel 292 60  
dBu Loss Area

<u>Call Sign</u>	<u>Facility_id</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Freq</u>	<u>Distance_km</u>
KHKZ-					
ALOC	36166	MERCEDES	TX	106.3	40.97
KJAV	51957	ALAMO	TX	104.9	11.92
KOIR	56478	EDINBURG	TX	88.5	24.8
KBIC	11082	RAYMONDVILLE	TX	105.7	35.65
KTEX	64631	BROWNSVILLE	TX	100.3	29.11
KILM	18654	RAYMONDVILLE	TX	102.1	41.29
KBTQ	67072	HARLINGEN	TX	96.1	26.55
KVMV	73749	MCALLEN	TX	96.9	31.41
KFRQ	56484	HARLINGEN	TX	94.5	26.55
KKPS	56483	BROWNSVILLE	TX	99.5	31.41
KGBT-FM	6662	MCALLEN	TX	98.5	28.64
KNVO-FM	40680	PORT ISABEL	TX	101.1	59.99
KVLY	67188	EDINBURG	TX	107.9	11.6
KBFM	40777	EDINBURG	TX	104.1	29.11
KHKZ	36166	MERCEDES	TX	106.3	26.13
KVJY	64629	PHARR	TX	840	8.17
KUBR	51960	SAN JUAN	TX	1210	9.3
KURV	70463	EDINBURG	TX	710	13.84
KIRT	56474	MISSION	TX	1580	30.64
KRIO	56477	MCALLEN	TX	910	18.32
KRGE	11081	WESLACO	TX	1290	15.46
KSOX	18653	RAYMONDVILLE	TX	1240	15.69
KGBT	67067	HARLINGEN	TX	1530	15.14

Figure 5 - 70 dBu Service to San Benito, TX and 70 dBu Coverage of the Harlingen, TX Urbanized Area

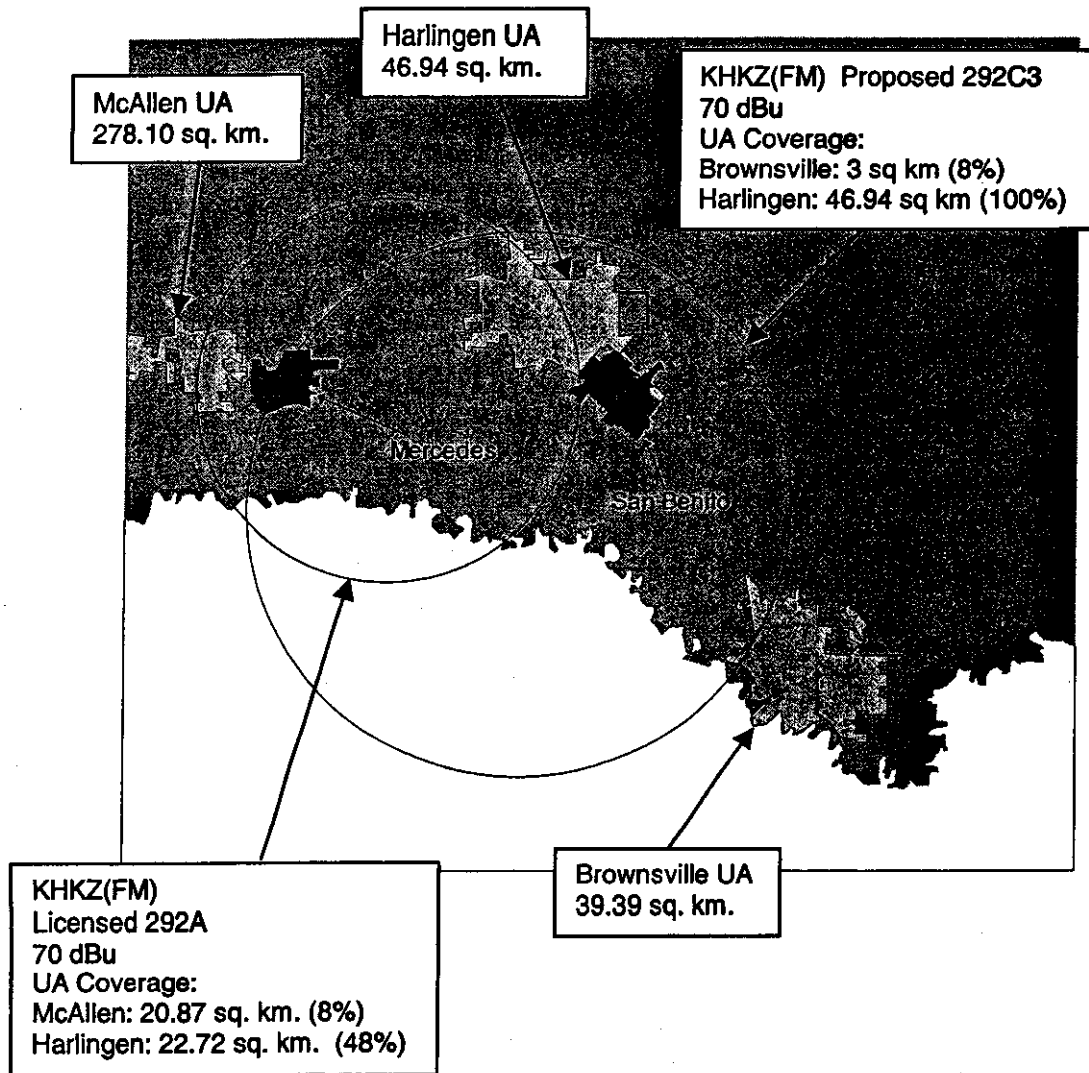
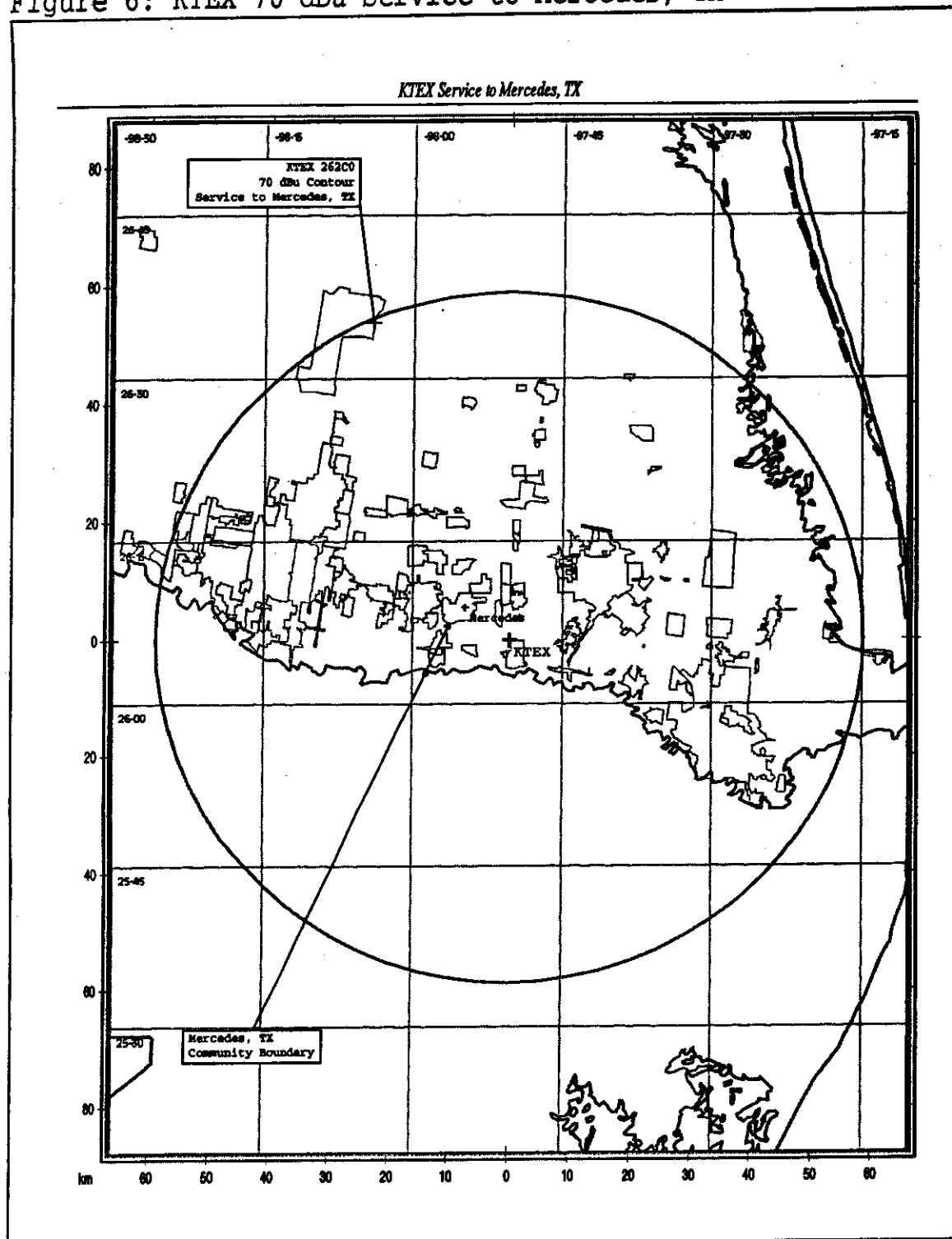


Figure 6: KTEX 70 dBu Service to Mercedes, TX





Channel 292C3 (KHKZ), San Benito, Texas. Contour  
Protection with XHNAFM, Channel 290AA, Matamoros,  
Tamaulipas, Mexico

Community: San Benito, Texas  
Channel: 292  
Call : KHKZ  
Class: C3      International: B1  
Coordinates: 26-03-13.0N ; 97-43-19.0W

**Existing Facility at Matamoros, TA, Mexico (XHNAFM)**

Community: Matamoros, Tamaulipas  
Channel: 290  
Call: XHNAFM  
Class: AA                      International: AA  
Coordinates: 25-50-45.0 N ; 97-30-19.0 W

Maximum Facility: 6 kW at 100 meters HAAT  
Relationship: Second-adjacent channel  
Protected Contour: F(50,50) 60 dBu  
Maximum distance allowed to protected contour: 28 km

Distance to protected contour (XHNAFM) : 28 km  
Distance to restricted contour (KHKZ) : 3 km  
Total distance restricted plus protected: 31 km  
Actual spacing: 31.6 km  
Clearance 0.60 km  
No overlap of protected and interfering contour

**EXHIBIT 2**

## U.S. Census Bureau

## American FactFinder

## FACT SHEET

## San Benito city, Texas

## Highlights from the Census 2000 Demographic Profiles:

## General Characteristics - show more &gt;&gt;

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Total population	23,444	100.0	100%	map	brief
Male	11,117	47.4	49.1%	map	brief
Female	12,327	52.6	50.9%	map	brief
Median age (years)	29.7	(X)	35.3	map	brief
Under 5 years	2,194	9.4	6.8%	map	
18 years and over	15,641	66.7	74.3%		
65 years and over	3,199	13.6	12.4%	map	brief
One race	22,886	97.6	97.6%		
White	17,854	76.2	75.1%	map	brief
Black or African American	74	0.3	12.3%	map	brief
American Indian and Alaska Native	97	0.4	0.9%	map	brief
Asian	58	0.2	3.6%	map	brief
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.0	0.1%	map	brief
Some other race	4,802	20.5	5.5%	map	
Two or more races	558	2.4	2.4%	map	brief
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	20,380	86.9	12.5%	map	brief
Average household size	3.30	(X)	2.59	map	brief
Average family size	3.72	(X)	3.14	map	
Total housing units	9,120	100.0	100.0%	map	
Occupied housing units	7,065	77.5	91.0%		brief
Owner-occupied housing units	4,905	69.4	66.2%	map	
Renter-occupied housing units	2,160	30.6	33.8%	map	brief
Vacant housing units	2,055	22.5	9.0%	map	

## Social Characteristics - show more &gt;&gt;

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Population 25 years and over	13,268	100.0			
High school graduate or higher	6,876	51.8	80.4%	map	brief
Bachelor's degree or higher	1,294	9.8	24.4%	map	
Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)	1,879	12.0	12.7%	map	brief
Disability status (population 21 to 64 years)	2,339	20.7	19.2%	map	brief
Foreign born	4,170	17.7	11.1%	map	brief
Now married (population 15 years and over)	9,346	54.6	54.4%		brief
Speak a language other than English at home (5 years and over)	16,643	77.9	17.9%	map	brief

## Economic Characteristics - show more &gt;&gt;

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	8,576	51.7	63.9%		brief
Mean travel time to work in minutes (population 16 years and over)	19.1	(X)	25.5	map	brief
Median household income (dollars)	24,027	(X)	41,994	map	
Median family income (dollars)	26,415	(X)	50,046	map	
Per capita income (dollars)	10,317	(X)	21,587	map	
Families below poverty level	1,672	28.7	9.2%	map	brief
Individuals below poverty level	7,668	32.7	12.4%	map	

## Housing Characteristics - show more &gt;&gt;

	Number	Percent	U.S.		
Single-family owner-occupied homes	3,723	100.0			brief
Median value (dollars)	39,500	(X)	119,600	map	brief
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)			brief
With a mortgage	675	(X)	1,088	map	
Not mortgaged	226	(X)	295		

U.S. Census Bureau

American FactFinder

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**P27. PLACE OF WORK FOR WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER--PLACE LEVEL [5] - Universe:****Workers 16 years and over**Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data

NOTE: Data based on a sample except in P3, P4, H3, and H4. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions see <http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/datanotes/expsf3.htm>.

	San Benito city, Texas
Total:	7,457
Living in a place:	7,457
Worked in place of residence	2,638
Worked outside place of residence	4,819
Not living in a place	0

U.S. Census Bureau  
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**SAN BENITO, TEXAS.** San Benito is on U.S. Highway 77/83 five miles south of Harlingen and twenty miles north of Brownsville in Cameron County, at the approximate center of the county. The town is on the Concepción de Carricitos grant, awarded to Bartolomé and Eugenio Fernández<sup>qv</sup> in 1789. The portion of the grant on which San Benito is built was obtained in the mid nineteenth century by Judge Stephen Powers<sup>qv</sup> in return for legal services to the Fernández heirs. In 1904 Col. Sam Robertson<sup>qv</sup> went into partnership with James Landrum and Benjamin Hicks, Powers's sons-in-law and administrators of his estate, to form what later became the San Benito Land and Water Company. In January 1907 the company subdivided town lots and began sales. Initially the town was called Bessie, in honor of the daughter of Benjamin Franklin Yoakum,<sup>qv</sup> financial backer of the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico Railway, which served the community. The name San Benito was concocted by Rafael Moreno, an employee of Hicks. Moreno combined the given names of Robertson (Sam or "San") and Hicks (Benny), whom he called "Don Benito." A post office was established in 1907 under the name San Benito. The first meeting of the city council was held on July 27, 1911. A city manager form of government was adopted by charter in 1920. In 1990 the city was governed by a mayor and four elected commissioners, with a city manager as administrative head. During the border disturbances of 1915-16, San Benito was a base for troops of the Oklahoma, South Dakota, and Tennessee National Guard. Several fights with bandits occurred in the area, involving troops and Texas Rangers.<sup>qv</sup> There were numerous murders and lynchings. In 1916 the night train to Brownsville was blown up at Olmito, ten miles south of San Benito, and several persons were killed. In its early years San Benito was a major shipper of citrus fruits and vegetables from the lower Rio Grande valley. A market was held under the arcade of the San Benito Bank and Trust Company, and agricultural festivals were popular. However, the produce industry began to diminish in the 1960s, and the last citrus-packing shed closed after the severe freeze of December 1983. The later economy centered around agriculture and light industry. As of 1990 there were three cotton gins in San Benito, one of which was combined with a large grain-storage facility. The town had a 144-acre industrial park that included such industries as electronics, plastic design and manufacture, soft drink distribution, meat packing, and clothing manufacture. The San Benito Consolidated Independent School District was the largest employer in the city; second was the Central Power and Light Company, which maintained the La Palma Power Station. The San Benito Municipal Airport, a general aviation facility governed by an advisory board, is

operated by a lessee. Water is supplied by a municipally owned utility corporation, governed by an autonomous board responsible to the city commission. Dolly Vinsant Memorial Hospital, a community-owned hospital built by public subscription in 1949, is named for Lt. Wilma R. (Dolly) Vinsant Shea,<sup>9v</sup> army flight nurse, who was killed in action over Germany in May 1945. A semiweekly newspaper, the *San Benito News*, has been published under its present name and ownership since 1946. It was originally established as the *San Benito Light* in 1911. In addition to schools run by the San Benito Consolidated Independent School District, the South Texas Independent School District, a special purpose district, maintains a separate high school. A county fair and livestock show is held in San Benito each February on fairgrounds owned jointly by the stock show corporation and the city. The population is largely Hispanic and of Mexican origin, although intermarriage with non-Hispanics is common. In addition to Mexicans, the Hispanic population includes a small but growing number of Puerto Ricans and Cubans. There is also a substantial Japanese community on the Rio Grande, outside the city limit. The black population is probably less than 1 percent of the total. In 1990 San Benito had 141 businesses and a population of 20,125, making it the third largest city in the county.

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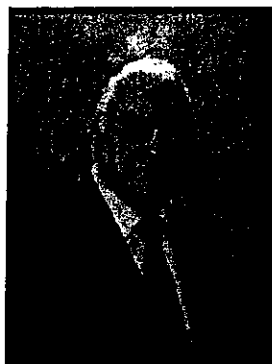
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**Mayor Cesar Gonzalez**  
 Mayoral Tenure  
 1974-1988  
 1996-2004  
 2004-Present

On behalf of our City Council and City staff  
 "Welcome to San Benito."

We are here to serve the residential and commercial interests of our City and are happy to have you here. The City Commission in 2004, approved a new Five Year Comprehensive Plan designed as a long-range roadmap to improve services and streamline operations for our citizens and merchants. Among the many major goals for the current fiscal year include the upgrade of the old Post Office to a home for our Chamber of Commerce, Economic Development Corporation, City Management and City Hall Meeting Chambers.

We are in the midst of completing the codification of all ordinances and will soon endeavor to create a more thorough process for future development and continue the upgrade of our public facilities. Included in our major accomplishments over the past year are the restructure of our Municipal Court, the merging of various departments to create the Community Improvement Department and restructuring the Utilities and the Public Works departments.

We are here to serve our community. You are our customer and we strive to provide excellent customer service. If we may be of assistance, please call us at 361-3800, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Or, you may choose to view our website at [www.cityofsanbenito.org](http://www.cityofsanbenito.org)

Respectfully,  
 Mayor Cesar Gonzalez

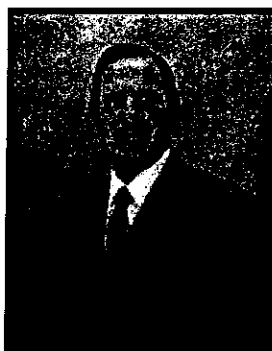
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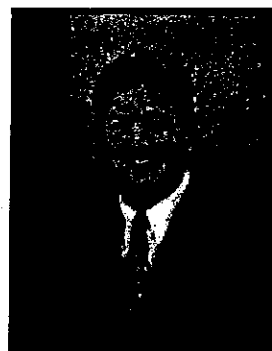
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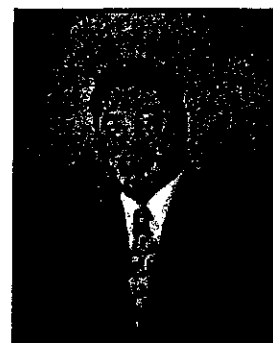
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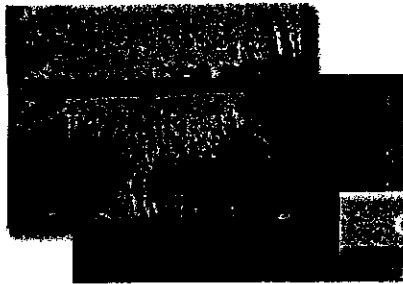
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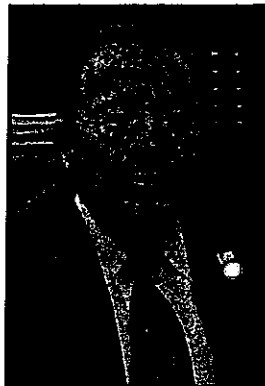
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San Benito is making the successful evolution from agriculture retail, to light industrial and eco-tourism, and there is no doubt that economic prosperity has entered into our city limits. To prepare continued prosperity, we are developing the necessary infrastructure for such growth.

Our most recent successful community-wide team effort, not only won the City of San Benito more than \$18,000,000 (construction/subsidized) in grant funds for the city's \$32,000,000 water/wastewater improvement project, it has afforded us the self-confidence to realize an enhanced quality of life and an expanded vision for our community. As a result of our demonstration of absolute need for improvement and our business-like approach to the project, we received overwhelming community support from consumers to pay increased rates as a means of repaying the \$9 million in loans secured to help finance the improvements.

We now have a vision where San Benito is poised to attract quality growth for happy and healthy families, expanded industry and growing businesses that can take quick advantage of our geographic proximity to Mexico and the Gulf Coast to become an even greater attractive, dynamic and unique community.

**Victor G. Trevino**  
City Manager  
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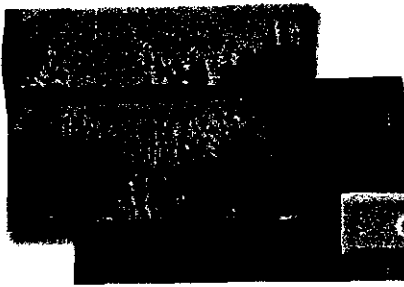
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## **Economic Development Corporation Board Members**

<b>Bill Elliott</b>	<b>President</b>
<b>Rolando Monsevalles</b>	<b>Vice President</b>
<b>Steven E. Rivera</b>	<b>Secretary/Treasurer</b>
<b>Juan E. Rivera</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Celeste Sanchez</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Ruben Sanchez</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
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## **Utilities Board Members**

<b>Pete Claudio</b>	<b>Chairman of the Board</b>
<b>Victor Garza</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Jesse Saucedo</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Claudio Gonzalez</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Esiquel Duran</b>	<b>Board Member</b>

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## **Library Board Members**

<b>Leroy Gomez</b>	<b>Chairman of the Board</b>
<b>Robert Allen</b>	<b>Vice Chairman of the Board</b>
<b>Anselmo Garza</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Reynaldo Gonzalez</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Janie Silva</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Ruben Sanchez</b>	<b>Board Member</b>
<b>Joel P. Smith</b>	<b>Board Member</b>

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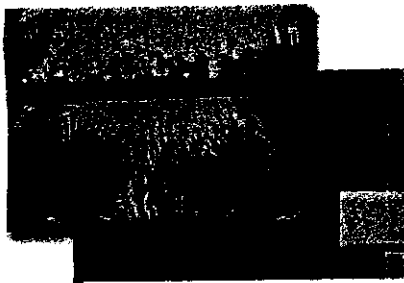
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## **Planning and Zoning Commission Board Members**

Charlie Wilson	Chairman of the Board
Velma de los Santos	Vice Chairman of the Board
Hector de la Garza	Board Member
Frutoso Gomez	Board Member
Armando Galvan	Board Member
Antonio Rodriguez	Alternate Board Member



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Information Officer at  
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## **MUNICIPAL COURT**

485 N. Sam Houston Blvd.  
San Benito, Texas 78586  
(956) 361-3833 Ext. 225

The Municipal Court is staffed by four, licensed attorneys who serve as judges to hear arraignments as needed. A court administrator, court clerk and bailiff staff this department and is also under the direction of the Public Safety Director.

### **JUDGE AVAILABLE**

#### **Court Sessions**

Monday AND Wednesday  
4:00 p.m. THRU 6:00 p.m.

### **BUSINESS HOURS**

Monday and Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.

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